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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

v.

12 JASON WILLIAMS,

13 Defendant.

14 CASE NO. CR17-0245-JCC

ORDER

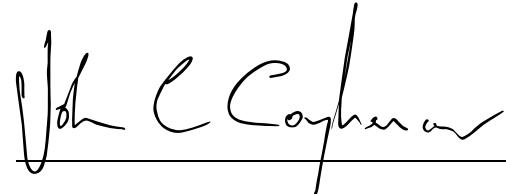
15 This matter comes before the Court on the parties' stipulated motion to continue the trial
16 date in this matter (Dkt. No. 26) and Defendant's speedy trial waiver (Dkt. No. 27). In light of
17 the circumstances Defendant presents, the Court finds that a failure to grant a continuance would
18 deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the
19 exercise of due diligence. *See* 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B). The Court also finds that the ends of
20 justice will be served by ordering a continuance in this case, that a continuance is necessary to
21 ensure adequate time for effective representation, and that these factors outweigh the best
22 interests of the public and Defendant in a speedy trial. *See* 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

23 For the foregoing reasons, the parties' motion to continue the trial (Dkt. No. 26) is
24 GRANTED. Trial in this matter is continued to January 7, 2019. All pretrial motions must be
25 filed no later than November 29, 2018. The Court further ORDERS that the period of time from
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1 the date of this order until the new trial date shall be excludable time pursuant to the Speedy
2 Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

3 DATED this 15th day of June 2018.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE